

SEP 08 2005

PATENT

Docket No.: 1232-5294

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Naoki MURASATO

Group Art Unit: 2873

Serial No.: 10/781,412

Examiner: Loha Ben

Filed: February 17, 2004

For: RETAINER, EXPOSURE APPARATUS, AND DEVICE FABRICATION METHOD

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

Entry Approved
10/1/05

Mail Stop AF
COMMISSIONER for PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

I hereby certify that the following item(s):


1. Amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.116

is/are being transmitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.8 by facsimile on the date indicated below to
Examiner Loha Ben of Group Art Unit 2851 at the following facsimile number: (571) 273-8300.
Transmission Total: 13 pages (including this cover sheet).

Respectfully submitted,
MORGAN & FINNEGAN, LLP

Date: September 8, 2005

By:


Sung Ho Hong
Registration. No. 54,571

Mailing Address:
MORGAN & FINNEGAN, LLP
3 World Financial Center
New York, New York 10281-2101
(212) 415-8700 (Telephone)
(212) 415-8701 (Telecopier)

942946 v1

SEP 08 2005

PATENT

Docket No. 1232-5294

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Naoki MURASATO

Group Art Unit: 2873

Serial No.: 10/781,412

Examiner: Loha Ben

Filed: February 17, 2004

For: RETAINER, EXPOSURE APPARATUS, AND DEVICE FABRICATION METHOD

Mail Stop AF
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. BOX 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of August 8, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.